

**THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ORDINANCE IS JULY 1, 2006**

**ORDINANCE NO. 06-13-409**

**RE: Decreasing the Tax Rate for the  
Urban Fire and Rescue Tax District**

The Board of County Commissioners established Special Fire and Rescue Tax Districts for Urban and Suburban areas and set the District tax rates by Ordinance No. 01-08-282. This Ordinance was adopted on May 22, 2001 and became effective on July 1, 2001.

By Ordinance No. 03-06-329, the Board of County Commissioners increased the tax rate for the Urban and Suburban Fire and Rescue Tax Districts effective July 1, 2003.

The Board of County Commissioners now desires to decrease the amount of the special district tax for the Urban Fire and Rescue Tax District.

The County Commissioners held a duly advertised public hearing concerning this Ordinance on May 15, 2006. The public had an opportunity to comment on this Ordinance at this public hearing.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF FREDERICK COUNTY, MARYLAND, that Subsection 1-8-151(c) of the Frederick County Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 1-8-151. Urban Fire and Rescue Tax District.**

(c) The amount of the special district tax in the Urban Fire and Rescue Tax District is [~~\$0.135~~] \$0.128 per \$100 of assessed value. A special district tax in this amount is levied on all assessable real property within the Urban Fire and Rescue Tax District.

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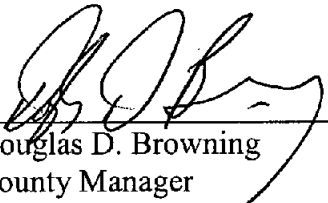
CAPITALS OR UNDERLINING INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.  
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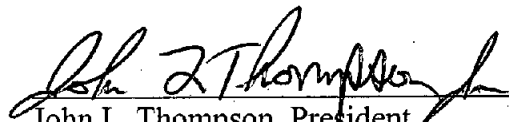
AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED AND ORDAINED that this Ordinance shall take effect on July 1, 2006.

The undersigned hereby certifies that this Ordinance was approved and adopted on the 15th day of May, 2006.

ATTEST:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF FREDERICK COUNTY, MARYLAND

  
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Douglas D. Browning  
County Manager

  
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John L. Thompson, President

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